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Sir Alfred Moore, of England, in an address before the Canadian Club in Toronto, asserted that the standard of life and wages of rural England is much below the level of average efficiency. For one of many examples, it is stated that in the case of forty-two agricultural laborers' families only one obtained the nutriment necessary to maintain physical efficiency. This is due, it is said, to low wages and largeness of family.

The number of cities having open air schools has practically doubled each year since their first organization. The first was established at Providence, R. I., in 1908, two others being established the same year. In 1909 there were seven; in 1910, 15; in 1911, 32; in 1912, 60. At present the most interesting phase of the movement are the successful attempts of educators and architects to make the benefits of open air schooling available for normal children in ordinary schools.

British papers are lamenting that 1913 will show a record in emigration. It is estimated that the end of the year will show a total excess of departures over arrivals of 300,000. The ominous aspect of the exodus is the quality rather than the quantity of the emigrants. It is the young, the energetic and the enterprising who are leaving. In Scotland the evil is especially marked. Some of the most beautiful districts are being depleted, and in some cases whole cities have become deserted. In one town the houses are crumbling in even the main streets. These facts are furnished by London papers which still cling to the free trade superstition.

WATER CURE FOR INSANITY.

In the insane asylum at Stockton, Cal., 85 per cent. of the curable patients are cured by baths—hot, cold or electric. Electric light and ice packs, mild exercise and many games are part of the treatment. Some of the patients spend eight or ten hours in the water daily.

THE MOST IMMORAL PLAYS

DISMAL FAILURES.

The dismal failure of "The Fight" and of "The Lure" showed that the theater-goer, if he is advised of the contents of a play, is capable of moral discrimination. A proscription that extends from Sir Henry Arthur Jones' "The Hypocrites" to "The Queen of the Moulin Rouge" is doubtless sufficiently comprehensive to keep a number of people from the theater, but it would not assist in the elevation of the stage. Advice to members as to the plays they should attend would be a far more effective example of practical morality.—Times-Star.

Women Everywhere

Praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Women from the Atlantic to the Pacific, from all sections of this great country, no city so large, no village so small but that some woman has written words of thanks for health restored by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. No woman who is suffering from the ills peculiar to her sex should rest until she has given this famous remedy a trial. Is it not reasonable to believe that what it did for these women it will do for any sick woman?

Wonderful Case of Mrs. Stephenson, on the Pacific Coast.

INDEPENDENCE, OREGON.—"I was sick with what four doctors called Nervous Prostration, was treated by them for several years, would be better for a while then back in the old way again. I had palpitation of the heart very bad, fainting spells, and was so nervous that a spoon dropping to the floor would nearly kill me, could not lift the lightest weight without making me sick; in fact was about as sick and miserable as a person could be. I saw your medicines advertised and thought I would try them, and am so thankful I did for they helped me at once. I took about a dozen bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and also used the Sanative Wash. Since then I have used them whenever I felt sick. Your remedies are the only doctors I employ. You are at liberty to publish this letter."—Mrs. W. STEPHENSON, Independence, Oregon.

A Grateful Atlantic Coast Woman.

HOPKINS, ME.—"I feel it a duty I owe to all suffering women to tell what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me. One year ago I found myself a terrible sufferer. I had pains in both sides and such a soreness I could scarcely straighten up at times. My back ached, I had no appetite and was so nervous I could not sleep, then I would be so tired mornings that I could scarcely get around. It seemed almost impossible to move or do a bit of work and I thought I never would be any better until I submitted to an operation. I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt like a new woman. I had no pains, slept well, had good appetite and was fat and could do almost all my own work for a family of four. I shall always feel that I owe my good health to your medicine."—Mrs. HAYWARD SOWERS, Hodgdon, Maine.

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State University opens a course in Rural Sociology, which will be given as a part of the Short Winter Term of ten weeks which begins in January. The lectures will be given by Prof. Charles D. Bohannon, of the Department of Education.

JIM ALLEN'S LITTLE JOKES.

The latest news from the Mexican war is that the Federals have quit Ojinaga. Wish they had pronounced it before they quit.

President Wilson held his first official reception on the 13th. That man will keep on fooling with 13 till it does something to him.

The Bowling Green police arrested a game rooster, Friday. This is the first serious set-back The Democratic party has received for several years.—Cynthiana Democrat.

CONGRESSMAN BEN JOHNSON WAS RIGHT.

The Hon. Ben Johnson of Kentucky, Tuesday knocked down John R. Shields, a Washington attorney, during a meeting of the House Subcommittee on the District of Columbia.

Johnson intimated that Shields was a grafting lobbyist, which he is.

This statement led Shields to insinuate that the Kentuckian was a liar, and then the bout began. Johnson starting it with a straight punch at Shield's eye, which landed squarely and with such force that the lawyer was knocked to the floor.

It was a real and thrilling contest for about a minute, and was ended only when the Congressman broke away from the clerks of his committee, who had endeavored to stop the fight, and ran toward an inner office shouting:

"Get my pistol; I'll kill him!"

Meanwhile Shields disappeared. Johnson appeared for the last time with a towel in his hand, protesting to his friends that they should not have stopped the fight.

Subsequently the Crosser subcommittee began to investigate the charge made by Chairman Johnson that Shields had raised funds from the crossing policeman at the last session. Half a dozen members of the force testified that they had paid Shields various sums of money, running up to \$120, in order to secure the passage of the bill for their benefit. The investigation will be continued.

The capitol at Washington is infected by scores of lobbyists, who with the thieving and grafting Congressmen and Senators, turn over legislation to the crooks of Big Business.



THE REASON.

Among the employees whose duties are supposed to be discharged in the rear of a certain shop in Baltimore, while the proprietor looks after matters in front, are a couple of darkies, who occasionally "take things easy."

One afternoon they were engaged in a quiet game of seven-up on a barrel, when they were startled by the sudden appearance of the boss, whom they supposed to be in his usual place in front.

The boss was angry. "How is it," he demanded, "that I find you fellows playing cards?"

"I don't know, boss," was the reply from one of the darkies, "unless it's on account of them rubber heels you is wearin'."—Lippincott's.

LUKE M'LUKE'S BITS OF BYPLAY.

Sure. Take this advice, my son, from me, Just try to aid your brothers; And in the end you'll find that the Lord helps those who help others.

Smart Alek. "That must be a very funny publication you are reading," said Mrs. Gabb. "It is," replied Mr. Gabb, between chuckles.

"What is it about?" asked Mrs. Gabb. "It is a magazine devoted to women's styles for 1914," replied Mr. Gabb.

Luke's Share. While some are boasting Woman's Rights And getting up parades and fights; Old Luke is entertaining throngs, He is defending Women's Wrongs.

Easy. Gabe—You can always tell a self-made man before he opens his mouth. Steve—How? Gabe—By the size of his head.

A Rubber Kid. He was a bouncing baby boy, He tried all feats gymnastic; And we discovered to our joy His spirits were elastic.

Ouch! "Matches are not made in Heaven," observed the Sage. "No," replied the Fool. "Some of them seem to have been framed up in the other place."

Things To Worry About. There are only 2,000 women in Labrador.

Our Daily Special. Always Know What You Are Talking About And To Whom You Are Talking.

They Won't Sit Long. (Waukegan Sun.) On Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday nights silverware will be given to ladies occupying reserved seats in the shape of knives, forks, tea and dessert spoons.

Averages

Here are a few averages on crops sold at the HOME, last week, to-wit:

Joseph Servino, Brown Co., O. \$17.30
J. P. Boudin, Mason Co., Ky. 15.16
S. L. McDowell, Robertson Co. 15.60
A. T. Davidson, Brown Co., O. 15.63
Herndon & Ross, Mason Co., Ky. 15.64
John Doyle, Mason Co., Ky. 19.16
J. W. Gough, Robertson Co. 15.00
Marshall & Lewis, Robertson Co. 18.18
Fritch Bros., Mason Co., Ky. 16.76
Walton Sons, Mason Co., Ky. 15.05

Don't let the Pin Hooker fool you with his story about the market being "Off." He would not want to buy your Tobacco at any price, unless he thought he could get more money for it on the market. You can get as much for it there as anyone else can. So, if you want

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continues to be that place. We sold over half a million pounds last week and it was not a very busy week either. No crowding. No delays. Nobody neglected and Everybody Satisfied. Follow the crowd to the HOME and you will be

Pleased With the Results.

Trenton, Ky., has the honor of furnishing the youngest graduate ever turned out of Center College. This young man, Frank Cox, has made a class record of 96 1/2 for the year and is only 17 years old.

BASKET BALL

Game Here Tomorrow Night Between Maysville and Brooksville High School Teams.

The next game of basket ball will be played at the High School Auditorium when the Maysville High School team meets the Brooksville High School team Friday night, January 23.

This is a game in which the High School and enthusiasts in basket ball will manifest more than ordinary interest as the local boys have been vigorously practicing for the past two weeks, and at the same time are boasting of having won all inter-scholastic games this season. On the other hand it is interesting to note that Germantown and Minerva, who were defeated by Maysville High School have also been defeated by the Brooksville High School team.

Naturally Maysville High School has an earnest desire that the boys from Brooksville come here with a feeling of encouragement because the local boys want only the sort of live games which are worthy of their mettle. The boys are in fine trim.

NOBODY SPARED

Kidney Troubles Attack Maysville Men and Women, Old and Young.

Kidney ills seize young and old. Often come with little warning. Children suffer in their early years. Can't control the kidney secretions. Girls are languid, nervous, suffer pain.

Women worry, can't do daily work. Men have lame and aching backs. If you have any form of kidney ills You must reach the cause—the kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills are "for weak kidneys—

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Men's Shoes Men's high-grade shoes in all leathers and styles, worth \$8.50, factory sale price \$2.49 Men's #2 and #2 50 gun metal and vic kid shoes, sale price \$1.49 One lot \$2 patent Shoes, broken sizes, sale price 99c One lot \$2 Men's Shoes, tip or plain toe, new \$1.29 Men's cloth one-buckle Arctics 99c Men's \$3 heavy high-top Boots new \$2.29	Misses' and Children's Shoes Misses' and children's high top shoes, \$2 quality, factory sale price \$1.39 Children's gun metal school shoes, \$1.50 value, factory sale price 99c Misses' \$1.25 shoes, broken sizes, sale price 69c Infants' 50c Kid shoes, button and lace, sale price 29c Infants' 50c suit shoes, button and lace, sale price 9c Misses' 50c Storm rubbers, sale price 29c Ladies' 60c Storm Rubbers, sale price 39c	Ladies' Shoes Ladies we advise you to see the great values of latest style footwear, in all leathers, made with plain or Cravenet tops, worth \$3, factory sale price \$1.98 Ladies' \$2 velvet and soft kid Shoes sale price \$1.29 Ladies' \$2 gun metal Shoes, sale price \$1.49 Ladies' button and lace Shoes a bargain at 99c

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